



# Clicks

..are words that you can read and understand what it means.



# Clunks

..are words that you might be able to read but not sure what it means.

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## Clunk Strategy #3

Is there a base word ? Is there a prefix or a suffix ? Use these to help you work it out.



## Clunk Strategy #4

Break the word up and look for smaller words. If you know what **expect** means you can work out what **expectation** means.

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## Clunk Strategy #1

Read the sentence before and after looking for clues.



## Clunk Strategy #2

Read the sentence again, and in your mind hide away the word, what word could you put in it's place that would still make sense ?

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## Clunk Strategy #5

Look at the picture, image, diagram. Read the caption.



## Clunk Strategy #6

Ask yourself some questions. Does it sound like a word I know ? Is it a name, does it have a capital letter?

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# Types of Questions



## Here

The answer is **Here** in one part of the text. I may need to read it again to find it.



## Hidden

The answer is **Hidden** in the text. I may need to use information from two or more places in the text as well as what I already know.



## Head

The answer is in my **Head**. I need to use what I already know from books, teachers, movies, magazines, Internet...

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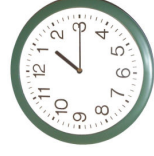
# Clue words...



## Who

Look for a person, animal or creature.

## When



Look for words that tell you a time - day, month, special day, time of day.

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# Clue words...



## Where

Look for a word that tells you a place.



## What

Look for a verbs (action words).

# Clue words...



## Why

## What if?

## What would happen if?

## What would happen when?

These words give you a clue that you need to find an answer. This answer could be in the text or in your head.

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# Clue words...



## Which

Look for adjectives (describing words for nouns).



## How

Look for verbs (action words) and adverbs (describing words for verbs).

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